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SAPP AND WHITESIDES CARRY BOONE COUNTY

Deputy Sheriff Gets Nomination by 32 Votes—Pool Wins Easily.

F. C. BROWN VICTOR

Stockton Beats Tate for Judge—Gardner Is First and Lindsey Second.

Frederick D. Gardner of St. Louis carried Boone County by a plurality of about 500 votes over his nearest competitor, Arthur N. Lindsey. Atkinson ran third and Barker fourth. The other winners in Boone County are Wallace Crossley, for lieutenant-governor, J. Kelly Pool for secretary of state, John T. Wayland for state auditor, Frank McAllister for attorney-general, A. M. Woodson and Fred L. Williams for judges of the supreme court; Major J. Lilley for judge Kansas City court of appeals, D. W. Shackleford for representative in congress, Wood Sapp for representative, J. T. Stockton and J. T. Rowland for judges of the County Court, W. M. Dinwiddie for prosecuting attorney, Fred Whitesides for sheriff, E. T. Martin for public administrator and F. C. Brown for constable Columbia Township.

Some Statistical Results. Here's how Columbia's four precincts voted for governor, representative and sheriff.

CANDIDATE—	PRECINCT	1	2	3	4
Atkinson	91	122	103	137	
Barker	28	28	36	29	
Houchin	13	21	11	17	
Gardner	198	190	181	165	
Lindsey	120	100	107	84	
Painter	3	2	4	2	
Roach	15	21	14	18	
W. Sapp	220	294	255	281	
Anderson	214	62	176	145	
Cook	40	31	26	32	
Maddex	54	60	39	40	
Wyatt	99	81	73	62	
Whitesides	132	121	116	132	
Bradford	36	46	46	43	
Davis	45	55	62	56	
Hickam	44	69	74	63	
King	60	52	51	59	

Here is the complete vote from the thirty-four precincts of Boone County as given out late this afternoon by the county clerk.

For Governor. Gardner, 1,684; Houchin, 261; Lindsey, 1,150; Painter, 75; Roach, 184; Atkinson, 1,042; Barker, 649.

For Lieutenant-Governor. Crossley, 2,629; McCollum, 748; Crites, 1,180.

For Secretary of State. J. Kelly Pool, 3,996; Sullivan, 538; Emmons, 360.

For State Auditor. Gordon, 2,020; Wayland, 2,293; Bradley, 569.

For State Treasurer. Middlekamp, 5,049. (No opposition.)

For Attorney-General. Green, 753; McAllister, 2,998; Davis, 1,161.

For Judge of Supreme Court. Division No. 1—Stark, 2,037; Woodson, 2,405. Division No. 2—Williams, 3,269; Arnold, 983.

For Kansas City Court of Appeals. Crow, 620; Lilley, 1,720; Suddan, 1,028; Bland, 1,269.

For Representative, Eighth District. Shackleford, 2,960; Thomas, 2,052.

For Judge Circuit Court. Harris, 5,008. (No opposition.)

For Representative. Cook, 1,289; Sapp, 2,380; Anderson, 1,417.

For Judge County Court. Northern District—Stockton, 1,218; Tate, 1,191; Gibbs, 934. Southern District—Powell, 206; Rowland, 654; Wade, 194; Pauley, 578.

For Prosecuting Attorney. Dinwiddie, 3,325; Anderson, 1,711.

For Sheriff. Hickam, 642; King, 823; Maddex, 359; Whitesides, 1,130; Wyatt, 1,096; Bradford, 330; Davis, 605.

For Public Administrator. Kurtz, 1,872; Martin, 2,978.

For Constable Columbia Township. Berry, 243; Brown, 677; Maupin,

THE CALENDAR

August 4, Friday—Close of Boone County Fair.
August 18, Friday—Robinson's Circus.
September 14, 15, 16, Thursday, Friday and Saturday—University entrance examinations.
September 18, 19, 20, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—University registration.
September 20, Wednesday—Opening Convocation, University Auditorium, 11 a. m.
September 21, Thursday—University class work in all divisions begins.

385; Sublett, 339; Alton, 276; Ball, 197.
For Coroner. Potts, 1,243; VandeVenter, 1,645; Baker, 2,023.

Wood Sapp for representative and Fred Whitesides for sheriff were the two choices made by Boone County in the primaries over which the most interest was aroused.

Gardner was the choice for governor Lindsey running second. But the crowd of eight hundred persons who gathered on the courthouse lawn did not seem to care much who was nominated for governor or attorney general or any of the state offices for that. They clamored for returns on the candidates for county offices. When Wood Sapp carried a precinct—and he carried nearly all of them—there were cheers that would rival a Tiger football game. And when Fred Whitesides, who lost ground steadily on the early returns, carried the four Columbia precincts by such a large majority that it made him the nominee for sheriff by about thirty votes, the crowd threw hats in the air and had all the appearance of a national convention.

Crowd Wants Local Returns. Circuit Clerk James Boggs and his corps of assistants shot the returns out so fast that the crowd called for slower work. And when Boggs said that he would have some state returns in a minute there were cries of "no, give us county returns; let the state returns go" and "we don't care who's governor. Tell us who's sheriff and representative."

The race between Wyatt and Whitesides for sheriff was the closest of all. These two were the leaders. Wyatt gained steadily in the early returns. In each precinct he would have a lead of a few votes until finally after about twenty-five precincts had sent in their returns, he had gained a lead of more than 150 votes. But then the Columbia precincts came in. The first cut down the lead, the second returns made the race practically a tie and the third returns (precinct number four) gave Whitesides a lead, which he maintained to the end. The cheers when his lead was announced were only equalled by those for Wood Sapp.

Anderson, who made desperate efforts to gain the nomination by attacks on the University, was only a few votes ahead of Cook, the Centralia candidate. Sapp showed a gain over his opponent in nearly every precinct and where Anderson was the victor it was seldom by more than three or four votes. In Columbia Sapp carried every precinct, but though the main townspeople voted for the man who announced his platform as in support of the University, it was throughout the county that he got the larger share of his votes.

J. Kelly Pool Is Easy Winner. J. Kelly Pool carried the county in a walkover as was predicted. He led in every precinct by a large plurality, Centralia and Columbia being especially strong for the Centralia editor. Early unofficial returns say that he carried the state by a plurality of about 18,000. Another close race was for judge of the county court, northern district. Ben Tate, candidate for re-election, lost to James T. Stockton by twenty-six votes. The race was close all the way through. Tate leading at one time and Stockton at another. The early returns gave Tate a lead, but the returns today were all for Stockton and the present incumbent's lead gradually decreased until Stockton finally won.

W. M. Dinwiddie was renominated for prosecuting attorney of the county by an overwhelming majority. From the time the first returns were in his lead steadily increased and the final count gave him twice as many votes as his opponent E. C. Anderson. In the race for congress Shackleford ran away from his opponent, Thomas. As in the case of Dinwiddie and Anderson, Shackleford started ahead on the first returns and held his lead all the way. Thomas carried only a few precincts and in most places the vote was not even close. "Old Shack" had nearly twice as many votes as Thomas.

The race for governor soon settled down between Gardner, Lindsey and Atkinson, with the latter not having much more than a look-in. Gardner

Successful Candidates



Frederick D. Gardner of St. Louis, Democratic nominee for governor.



Dorsey W. Shackleford, renominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Eighth Missouri District.

carried the majority of the precincts but the candidate who said on election day that he had 100,000 votes at the heads of the creeks gave the St. Louis coffin maker a close race and though never in the lead Lindsey was always in striking distance. Atkinson made several spurts but the preacher and the St. Louis candidate were not to be headed. Lindsey's race was a surprise to most for the adherents of Atkinson had confidently predicted that the race was between their man and Gardner. Barker came in for quite a few votes, but got all his support from a few sections and could not make a steady race. Houchin, Painter and Roach were very weak.

Curators to Meet in St. Louis.

C. B. Rollins left today for St. Louis to attend a full meeting of the Board of Curators of the University, which will be held in St. Louis at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Matters of some importance will come before the board, according to Mr. Rollins.

ELECTION WOULD BE NICER IF WOMEN VOTE, SHE SAYS

Sending a woman reporter out to "cover" an election where only men can vote is a risky thing at any time, but when that woman reporter herself has exercised the suffrage in another state—and liked it—well, something is bound to drop. This is what she found at the courthouse yesterday.

Did any woman in Columbia venture down town yesterday afternoon as far as the courthouse?

Mrs. Jesse E. Wrench, in her speech at the equal suffrage meeting held on the campus a week ago, said that the main reason why Missourians are opposed to woman suffrage is because they think it will take away the bloom from womanhood. It certainly would do so if women should mix with such crowds of men as dotted the courthouse yard yesterday afternoon.

There were a few men with dazed half-foolish expressions who gave evidence of the hospitality of the last candidate they had met on their way to the polls. Believe me, when women go to the polls to vote with the men the air will be purer and not so full of "buoyant spirits."

I spent two years in a western suffrage state where I enjoyed the privilege of voting and not once did I see such crowds of gossiping men at any of the polls as adorned the courthouse yard yesterday. And the women were just as sweet and womanly there as anywhere in the country. And I might further add that nowhere

CHILDREN TREAT FAIR AS THEIR OWN TODAY

Juvenile Pony Classes Occupy All the Attention in the Morning.

NEW BOOTHS ADDED

Miss Loula Long of Kansas City Is Carrying Off Many of the Honors.

The morning of the second day of the Boone County Fair was turned over to the children, and the authorities had their hands busy all through the program, keeping the youngsters off the fence and out of the way of the horses. The grown-ups sat back comfortably on the grandstand watching the children enter and drive their respective ponies and colts in the first three events of the day. It was children's morning without a doubt.

With the election over, disappointments must be drowned and victories celebrated, and hence the overcrowded grandstand and the busy side shows along the pike.

The pike has added new features. In a large new tent are displayed the "fastest couple in the world." A few more "three chances for a nickel" booths have sprung up over night. "Weenie" and soda-pop booths abound.

Here are this morning's results:

Best pony mare—Mary Davis, first award; Katherine Tandy, second award; Dorothy Dodd, third award.

Best pony colt—Dorothy Dodd, first award; Katherine Tandy, second award.

Best harness pony—C. Todd and Son Harris, Jr., first award.

Best heavy harness horse—Frank Harris, Jr., first award.

Here are some of the afternoon's results.

Free-for-all saddle race, purse \$1,000—Miss Loula Long, Kansas City, first award; Miss Loula Long, second award; Blades & Holman, Holiday, third award; Blades & Holman, Holiday, fourth award.

2:12 trot, three in five, first heat—H. H. Downing, Marshall, first award; D. C. Thomas, Knox City, second award; W. E. Daoust, Des Moines, Iowa, third award; Arthur Grier, St. Joseph, fourth award.

Here are yesterday's racing results, completed: Second race, 2:18 trot, purse \$100—Final heat won by Colonel Chittenden, owned by Charles Merritt of Hugo, Colo.; second, Aldino, owned by A. H. McWhinney, Omaha, Neb.; third, Red Silk, owned by J. G. Lutz of Kansas City. Time 2:17.

One-half mile running race, purse \$100—first, Doctor Mack 11 (Hawkins); second, Gray's Favorite (Plunkett); third, Lady Mack (Sample); time :49 1-2. Stalby, Wise Hand, Mamie Ray.

are the men more chivalrous toward womenfolk than there.

Instead of hanging around the polls all day the men folks went back to their places of business or else went home in order to give their wives and mothers an opportunity to vote. And the men were proud of the fact that the votes of their wives, mothers and sisters helped counteract the votes of ignorant, unscrupulous citizens.

As the men filed down the street to the courthouse yesterday afternoon a dozen different cards from as many candidates were thrust into their hands, which they kept only until they reached the door of the courthouse, where the cards landed in the waste-paper basket. Few even glanced at a single card. All of the first floor of the building was littered with handbills and cards, few of which did enough good to pay for the printing alone.

If Missouri women had the vote the candidates would certainly have to "show them" what they could do. On the other hand, candidates might save a great deal uselessly spent on numerous tracts and countless cards. From my experience I would say that they demand to know more about the candidates and the questions at issue, and then, in spite of all advice and exhortation, they follow their own decisions, for most men realize the truth of the old adage, "Convince a woman against her will, she's of the same opinion still."

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Generally fair and warm tonight and Thursday. For Missouri: Generally fair tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight north portion except at St. Louis.

Weather Conditions. The Canadian high pressure that gave slightly cooler weather in the territory north of the Missouri, is drifting rapidly eastward; and a slight atmospheric depression now covers most of the country west of the Mississippi River with a corresponding rise in temperature.

Light showers fell yesterday along the Missouri-Illinois line from St. Louis southward to Cairo; and in parts of Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, and North Carolina; also locally in Iowa, North Dakota, and Utah; a heavy rain fell at Durango, Colo.

There was no rain of importance in the principal grain states and western cotton belt.

Generally fair and warm weather is indicated for Columbia tonight and tomorrow, preceded perhaps by a thundershower this afternoon.

Local Data. The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 91, and the lowest last night was 72; precipitation, .00; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 45 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 85, and the lowest 72; precipitation, .00.

The Almanac. Sun rose today, 5:30 a. m. Sun sets, 7:20 p. m. Moon sets 8:53 p. m.

The Temperatures Today.
7 a. m.78 11 a. m.91
8 a. m.81 12 m.92
9 a. m.86 1 p. m.88
10 a. m.90 2 p. m.82

Beverstein, Doctor Sharp, Battlestein and Jewel Dean were distanced.

Six furlongs, running race, purse \$100—first, Miss Polly (Hawkins); second, Frockendale (Snell); third, Great Friar (Plunkett). Lucky Mack Plantagenet and B. M. Rebo were distanced.

A large crowd turned out today and the directors of the fair say they expect crowds to increase daily from now on. Tomorrow and Friday, when the Mule-Colt-Show will be held, are expected to be the big days. The program tomorrow includes saddle colts, saddle geldings, readster teams, saddle stallions, saddle mares, draft horses, running and walking horse, mare or stallion and harness stake. In the harness stake class the University has offered special prizes for fillies or colts sired by Honorable, its imported Percheron stallion.

DEUTSCHLAND IS LOST TO VIEW

Watchers on Shore Wait in Vain for U-Boat's Reappearance.

By CARL D. GROAT

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 2.—At noon today Norfolk and Newport News were nearly blind from the strain of looking across the tumbling waters outside Hampton Roads in the hope of glimpsing the super-submarine Deutschland coming in or going by on her way out to sea.

In this port it was believed she might not come into Hampton Roads until tonight.

No Virginia pilot had been asked for and this strengthened the belief that Captain Koenig intended to lie somewhere in the bay during the day. Some possibility that the Deutschland would shoot on out through the capes without touching here was seen in the fact that the thick weather of early morning made conditions perfect for the hazardous undertaking. The heavy haze concealed boats at a distance of two miles.

This same haze has hidden the warships of the Allies lying somewhere outside the three-mile limit and caused the commander of the United States warship North Carolina to bring the American neutrality protector inside Cape Henry, where she waited early this morning for the Deutschland to appear.

3 KILLED IN M. & T. WRECK.

Texas Special Derails Near Dallas—37 Are Injured.

Special to The Missourian.

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 2.—The Texas Special on the Missouri Kansas and Texas railway derailed ten miles south of Dallas yesterday, the engineer, fireman and a travelling salesman being killed. Four Missourians, L. E. Whitlock, J. S. Coates, E. M. Crosslat and J. K. Cunningham—all of St. Louis—were injured.

The train was running forty miles an hour around a curve. A kink in a rail caused three cars to be thrown down an embankment. The track was torn up for two hundred feet. The engineer died at his post.

A relief train from Dallas was sent out. Several of the passengers were army men.

Excessive heat, causing the rails to expand, was the cause of the accident. Not a single window in the train was broken.

REPUBLICAN CONTEST CLOSE IN THE STATE

Swanger and Lamm Race Is Still in Doubt Late This Afternoon.

GARDNER IS NAMED

Roach and Atkinson Are Fighting for Second in Today's Returns.

By United Press.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.—The contest between John E. Swanger and former Judge Henry Lamm, Republicans, both of Sedalia, for the Republican nomination for governor, was still in doubt at 2 o'clock today on returns received from all over the state. The big lead of Judge Lamm in St. Louis over Swanger of nearly 23,000 votes greatly encouraged the Lamm leaders here, who are now predicting his nomination.

Local Swanger leaders, however, predict the Swanger vote will gain as the returns from out in the state begin to come in and that he eventually will get the nomination by several thousand votes.

While returns indicate the nomination of Frederick D. Gardner, Democrat, of St. Louis, as his party's candidate for governor, Gardner's vote fell off in several counties and in St. Louis below that predicted by his managers. Early reports show second place is still between John M. Atkinson of Ripley County and Cornelius Roach of Jasper County.

The lead in St. Louis of Lamm over Swanger for the Republican nomination will make it necessary for the latter to poll an exceedingly heavy vote out in the state to win. Lamm's followers are predicting his nomination.

By United Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 2.—Estimates here today of the results of yesterday's Democratic primary give: United States Senator—James A. Reed by a majority estimated at more than 100,000.

Governor—Fred D. Gardner, 8,000. Lieutenant-Governor—Wallace Crossley.

State Auditor—John P. Gordon, probably 35,000 plurality. Secretary of State—J. Kelly Pool, 25,000.

State Treasurer—George H. Middlekamp, no opposition. Attorney-General—Frank McAllister, 8,000.

Judge of the Supreme Court, Division No. 1—Chief Justice A. M. Woodson, 38,000; Division No. 2, Fred L. Williams, 28,000.

Estimates on the Republicans are: United States Senator—Walter S. Dickey, 30,000 plurality. Governor—John E. Swanger, 14,000.

Lieutenant-Governor—Roy F. Britton, 5,000. Secretary of State—J. L. Ford, 8,000.

State Treasurer—A. A. Vitt, 9,000. Attorney General—Conway Elder, 11,000.

State Auditor—W. W. Wilder, 14,000.

Judges of the Supreme Court, Division No. 1—James M. Johnson; Division No. 2, Edward Higbee, no opposition.

These do not cover more than half of the state, but show only the trend of the voting.

Both parties polled light votes.

CASEMENT MUST DIE

Execution Planned to Be Tomorrow Morning—U.S. Asks for Clemency.

By United Press.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—It was definitely announced this morning that Sir Roger Casement, convicted of treason, will be hanged tomorrow morning.

U. S. Asks for Clemency.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The United States made formal application today to Great Britain for clemency for Sir Roger Casement, who is condemned to die on the scaffold tomorrow.

Cole Votes \$300,000 for Roads.

By United Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 2.—Cole County voted \$300,000 bonds for good roads yesterday.